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SUBCOMMITTEE ON EXPLOITATION OF FOREIGN LANGUAGE PUBLICATIONS

FDD Program on Communist China

The following program for Communist China was devised in June 1954 to meet the continuous needs of the IAC agencies as expressed by their representatives on the Subcommittee for Exploitation of Foreign Language Publications. This program has been pursued with continuous operational liaison.

1. Weekly Economic Information Report on China

Covers information, generally in the form of summaries, on agriculture, forestry, trade, finance, industry, mineral resources, transportation, telecommunications, electric power, water conservation, and cooperatives for Communist China. Sources include all available Chinese mainland newspapers. Currently 23 titles are received. Published in FDD Summary series.

2. Biweekly Sociological Information Report on China

Covers information, generally summaries, on political organizations, minorities, manpower, education, health and welfare, and biographic for Communist China. Sources include selected Chinese newspapers. Currently ten titles are used. Published in FDD Summary series.

3. Monthly Military Information Report on China

Covers all phases of military information, including political and economic activities of military personnel and military propaganda. Sources include all available mainland newspapers. Currently 23 titles are received. Published in FDD Summary series.

4. Monthly Index of Two Chinese Communist Newspapers

Gives titles of all articles, including advertisements for the Peiping, Jen-min Jih-pao and Peiping, Kung-jen Jih-pao. Recently received Tientsin Ta Kung Pao will replace the Kung-jen Jih-pao. Two papers are indexed and organized separately by subject categories. Published as an FDD Reference Aid.

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5. Monthly Table of Contents of Chinese Communist Periodicals

Periodicals are organized alphabetically by romanized title. Report includes all economic, scientific and technical periodicals received, and selected political and sociological periodicals. Published as FDD Reference Aid.

6. Monthly Annotated Bibliographies of Chinese Communist Monographs

This report includes all documentation, a review of contents, and a level-of-readership evaluation of each monograph included, about 100 per issue. Published as FDD Reference Aid. Discontinued after third issue, in accordance with Subcommittee recommendation.

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